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CONGRESSMAN DAVID WU ANNOUNCES RURAL DEVELOPMENT GRANT IN YAMHILL COUNTY Yamhill to receive over \$300,000 for 22 homes

Washington, D.C. – Congressman David Wu today announced that the Yamhill Community Development Corporation will receive a grant from the USDA to construct 22 homes as part of a mutual self-help housing project. YCDC has been awarded \$310,331 for the project.

"Congratulations to the Yamhill Community Development Corporation and to the families who will benefit from the self-help housing project," said Congressman Wu. "Community projects such as these are a common sense way to address the housing challenge in rural areas."

The grant is part of the USDA Rural Development project. YCDC will supervise the construction of the homes in Yamhill County. As part of the mutual self-help housing program, families work together to build their homes. The family's work on the home is their down payment and they commit themselves to the goal of homeownership through their work.